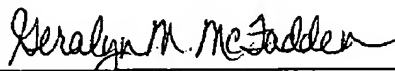


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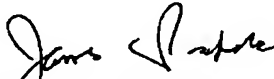
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant, through his attorney, respectfully requests a two-month extension of time within which to respond to the Advisory Action dated February 16, 2006 and the Final Office Action dated September 22, 2005; this extension will allow applicant up to and including March 22, 2006 within which to respond.

A fee transmittal form, as well as authorization for credit card payment of the extension of time fee, are attached.

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